

Media Release

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City of Rockford Notifies Residents of New Energy Supplier

ROCKFORD, **IL** - Rockford residents should have recently received a letter from the City regarding a new electricity supplier. After a thorough bid process, the City of Rockford, along with the Village of Roscoe and Loves Park, selected Nordic Energy Services, LLC as the new supplier for the contract term September 2018 to September 2021. By combining the load of all consumers within the City and surrounding area, these municipalities are able to negotiate a discount on rates.

Residents have two options – a traditional option where the energy is supplied through traditional generation sources and a 100% renewable option where 100% of energy comes from renewable energy sources. All participants **will be automatically enrolled** in the traditional program unless a request is made to enroll in the 100% Renewable or "Green" energy option. If you do not want to participate in either program, you can choose to opt-out online at **wwww.nordicoptout.com**.

Residents will continue to receive one monthly bill from ComEd and will still be eligible for the same programs through the utility, such as Budget Billing, payment agreements and energy efficiency programs.

Note to the media – This change in supplier often leads to citizen confusion making them a prime target for scammers going door to door. City staff is available for interviews tomorrow, Wednesday, June 20. Please contact me to set up a time.

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